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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, UN, WA

SUBJ: COUNCIL FOR NAMIBIA

REF: LONDON 11385 (NOTAL)

1. LATEST NEWS WE HAVE CONCERNING MACBRIDE'S PLANS IS THAT HE HAS BEEN ENCOURAGING AFRICAN MEMBERS OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH TO CONFISCATE A VESSEL CARRYING NAMIBIAN CARGO AND THEN TO HOLD COURT HEARING IN WHICH "UN DECREE" WOULD BE UPHELD AND CARGO SEIZED, THEREBY PROVIDING PRECEDENT WHICH CONCEIVABLY WOULD BE APPLICABLE ELSEWHERE. TANZANIA WAS EARLY CANDIDATE, BUT APPARENTLY FEW VESSELS GOING TO OR COMING FROM NAMIBIA PASS THROUGH DAR-ES-SALAAM. WE UNDERSTAND FROM COMMERCIAL SOURCES IN NEW YORK THAT SHIPPING COMPANIES ARE ALERT TO MACBRIDE'S INTENTIONS AND ARE TAKING

APPROPRIATE MEASURES IN SCHEDULING PORTS OF CALL.

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